

ROTARY

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MEETING STATISTICS

Attendance: 71.5%

Guests: Kelsei Schubert, Daud Mohamed (club), Caitlin and Chiara Hackney-Britt (Katrin), Julie

Johnston, Debbie Schubert

Apologies: John B, Dave B, John Ch, Mark C, Kevin, Mark JN, Elaine M, Joe, Dave H and

Graham (both late apologies)

Leave: Brad



Rotary Club of Cooma Inc

January Theme: Vocational
Service

Meeting - 25 January 2017

Guest Speakers – Kelsei Schubert and Daud Mohamed



Photo courtesy of Monaro Post

Congratulations to Kevin, Cooma's Citizen of the Year

Next meeeting: Suzanne Dunning



ROSTERS:

FEBRUARY

Attendance: Elaine S, Richard B
Fellowship: Katrin, Kevin
Property: Tony, Peter

3 minuter: 1st Dave B 8/2 Alyson

15/2 Sue 22/2 Tony

Intro: 1st David H 8/2 Graham

15/2 Mark JN 22/2 Ken

Thanks: 1st Hass 8/2 Carlo

15/2 Meg 22/2 Jan

Markets: John K, Alyson, Ash, Brian J, John

Cl, Brenda, Jeannette, Elaine M Coffee van: Mark JN, Sue

Dinner attendance: Apologies and guests notified to Darrell by Tuesday mornings. Email - dgcooma@bigpond.net.au Phone - 6452 1159 Mobile - 0407 411 422. Failure to notify Darrell of an apology will incur a dinner fee.



John King: Results of the January markets - \$1816.72, coffee van - \$371, 39 stalls and 64.25 service hours

It is important to make sure that we give generous serves when we are selling food.



Neil spoke about the fact that our fundraising through work such as the markets goes to worthwhile causes and it is important to remember, when we are working hard, that our work is a form of service to make the world a better place, e.g. we have just recently supported Kelsei and Daud in their attendance at the Rotary Youth Leadership Award (RYLA) experience.

Dugald: 1. Please remember to pass on the Foundation pot after you have donated.

2. There were four questions raised at the Board meeting – a member will be in charge of each one and will seeking other members' opinions.

Best wishes to Danielle who has transferred to the Sussex Inlet club.

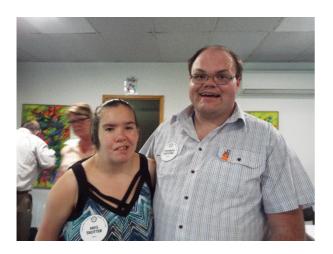


Allan spoke about the busking. The first championship will be at Stanthorpe (Qld) next month, the next in March in Ballarat (Vic).

Ash: Through contact with Chris Hillman (he and Margaret have been youth exchange parents), Ash learned that Anna Pfeff and her father will be visiting in July. Anna would like to obtain an education visa.



Julie Johnston, a past member of the club, spoke about her activities since she left the club. She and her husband, Allan, have been busy on the farms. A new venture is share farming, growing potatoes. These potatoes are sold to an Australian company to be made into chips, Julie suggesting that we buy that brand to support local farmers!



Thought of the week (Meg): The one who asks a question remains a fool for five minutes; the one who does not ask remains a fool forever.

Thank you to the Australia Day helpers: Brenda, Ash, Elaine S, Darrell, Peter, Brian L, Sue, John K, Neil and Katrin



THREE MINUTER - Richard H

Richard is interested in the use of the word 'shire' in naming the local government area, 'shire' being a geographical, political and rural term. At present, our local area is named after the Snowy Monaro region. The word 'region' is already in use by many bodies in making divisions in their organisations. The local government area should be named after the shire rather than the area being named after the local government.





GUEST SPEAKERS: Kelsei Schubert and Daud Mohamed

Rotary Leadership Award RYLA 2017

Kelsei and Daud spoke about their week at RYLA, at the Greenhills Conference Centre, mentioning many of the activities and guest speakers. The RYLArians were allocated into groups with mentors who were there to listen and debrief.

Guest speakers: Tony Tucker – Leadership; Chrystina Stanford, Canberra Rape Crisis Centre; Scott Burke – values and ethics; Barbara Baikie – brain development; Dr Thomas Neilson – community sector leadership; Kate Lundy – women in leadership; Superintendent Rod Smith – ethical leadership; Dan Tyrell – leadership in sport; Brooke Garland – youth leadership; Cree McCrae – communication.

Morning Exercises



Activities: goal setting, the Straw Challenge, crate climbing, water sports, writing a letter to themselves (to be opened in a year's time), mini Olympics, candle ceremony, the Rotary dinner, and finally the party. The activities were designed to develop leadership and teamwork.

Both Kelsei and Daud expressed their gratitude to the Cooma club for sponsoring them. During the five days, they made friends who will be part of their lives for many years.





2017 RYLA Group







